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Sent: 1/8/2016 6:13:31 PM
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Subject: RE: Draft for consideration of statement re: Hoosick Falls

I've inserted a few comments in the language below. Pls scroll down

From: Enck, Judith
Sent: Friday, January 08, 2016 12:50 PM
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See below, draft desk statement from hq. let andre and I know if you have any suggested changes. This can sit until Monday. thanks

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Importance: High

Thank you, Cheryl,

Mary is off today, as well. I will review the edits and share them with R2 senior staff today during our scheduled meeting. Please feel free to contact me if you have any questions.

W/r,
Andre

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Hi Mary – Linda's out today so I'm filling in. Thanks for putting together a draft statement. See edits from Jim Jones and Wendy Cleland-Hamnett below.

Ex. 5 - Deliberative Process

From: Mears, Mary

Sent: Thursday, January 07, 2016 5:19 PM

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Hi Linda,
Hope you are well and Happy New Year!

You may know that EPA Region 2 has been very involved in recent months in an issue involving PFOA contaminating a public water supply in Hoosick Falls, NY. Judith Enck spoke with Jim Jones yesterday and learned that a letter was sent to HQ in December 2014 from a company that could be a source of PFOA in the Hoosick area about what it knew about PFOA levels in drinking water wells. Apparently, the letter (attached for your reference) was sent to our TSCA CBI mailbox.

EPA Region 2 has been very involved in the Hoosick Falls PFOA drinking water issue in recent months, and Judith is attending a public meeting next **Thursday, January 14** about the drinking water contamination.

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